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In re Patent Application of

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Serial No. 09/971,771

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Title: NON-WOVEN WEB HAVING UNIQUE LIQUID RESISTANCE AND DIMENSIONAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

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## RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

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## **AMENDMENT**

In view of the Office Action mailed October 7, 2003, please substitute this Amendment in lieu of the Amendment submitted on September 11, 2003, for a complete response to the Official Action dated November 25, 2002.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: